



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Garo J. Derderian and  
Gurtej S. Sandhu

Serial No.: 10/787,450

Filed: February 26, 2004

For: METHOD OF FORMING AN INTERFACE FOR A  
SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE (as amended)

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§ Group Art Unit: 2823  
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§ Examiner: Maldonado, Julio J.  
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§ Atty. Docket: 97-1252.01  
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AMENDMENT AND ELECTION IN RESPONSE TO THE  
OFFICE ACTION DATED JUNE 1, 2005

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		Filing Date	February 26, 2004	
		First Named Inventor	Derderian et al.	
		Examiner Name	Maldonado, Julio J.	
		Art Unit	2823	
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$)		0	Attorney Docket No.	97-1252.01

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**1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES**

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	_____
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	_____
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	_____
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	_____
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	_____

**2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES**

Fee Description	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Paid (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180

**Total Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

47 - 20 or HP (71) = 0      x      50      =      0

HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.

**Indep. Claims**      **Extra Claims**      **Fee (\$)**      **Fee Paid (\$)**

14 - 3 or HP (23) = 0      x      200      =      0

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